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Reply to Restriction Requirement

Commissioner for Patents PO Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated November 12, 2009, requesting an election of one invention to prosecute in the above-referenced patent application, Applicants hereby provisionally elect to prosecute the invention of Group I, directed to compounds of formula I

$$A \xrightarrow{N} \stackrel{M}{\underset{R^1}{\bigvee}} \stackrel{M}{\underset{L^1}{\bigvee}}_{Q} \stackrel{L^2}{\underset{R}{\bigvee}}_{R}$$
 (I),

wherein A is a radical of the formula A1

$$R^{12}$$
 N
 R^{13}
 R^{14}
 R^{14}
A1, and

M is a radical of formula M-1